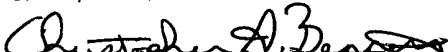




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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 18, 2001, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

IN THE TITLE OF THE INVENTION

Please replace the Title of the Invention with the following:

SURFACE ACOUSTIC WAVE DEVICE HAVING AN INTERDIGITAL
TRANSDUCER PROVIDED ON A MAIN REGION OF A PIEZOELECTRIC
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